



IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:

NGUYEN *ET AL.*

Serial No.: 10/603,492

Filed: **June 25, 2003**

Title: **“COMPOSITIONS AND METHODS FOR CONSOLIDATING UNCONSOLIDATED SUBTERRANEAN FORMATIONS”**

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Group Art Unit: **3672**

Examiner: **NEUDER, WILLIAM P.**

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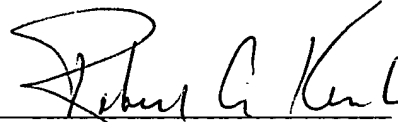
Applicants hereby submit the following documents to be filed with the United States Patent and Trademark Office:

- Amendment and Response to Office Action, Mailed July 21, 2005; and
- Return receipt postcard.

Please date stamp and return the enclosed postcard evidencing receipt of these materials.

Applicants believe that there are no fees due in association with this filing of this Response. However, should the Commissioner deem that any additional fees are due, including any fees for extensions of time, Applicants respectfully request that the Commissioner accept this as a Petition Therefor, and direct that any additional fees be charged to the Deposit Account of Halliburton Energy Services, Inc., No. 08-0300.

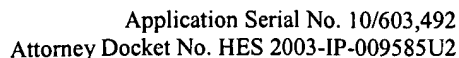
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**AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.111 TO  
NON-FINAL OFFICE ACTION, MAILED JULY 21, 2005**

Sir:

In response to the Office Action mailed on July 21, 2005 (the "Office Action"), please amend the above-identified application as follows:

- **Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of claims that begins on page 2 of this paper.
- **Remarks/Arguments** begin on page 5 of this paper.
- **Summary** begins on page 8 of this paper.